

*In Loving Memory
of
James Preston Carter*

*Sunrise
April 18, 1946*

*Sunset
August 25, 2011*



*Services Held
Friday, September 16, 2011
at 11:00am*

*North Richmond Missionary Baptist Church
1427 Fred Jackson Way
Richmond, CA 94801*

*Officiating:
Rev. Dana Keith Mitchell Sr., Pastor*

REFLECTIONS OF OUR BELOVED JAMES PRESTON CARTER

James Preston Carter (Little Brother, Cuz, Bull, Uncle Bull) was born to the late Willie and Ida Beatrice (Hartwell) Carter on April 16, 1946 in Tallulah, La. The family moved to Herlong, CA, in 1947 and later to Richmond, CA in 1954.

He was raised in a loving, Christian home by his late grandparents, Andrew and Mary Ella Carter. James attended schools in Herlong and Richmond, California. His employment ventures included Certainteed Roofing and Building Inc.; Chevron of Richmond, CA. Various other jobs - Auto Detailing, Apartment Maintenance, Neighborhood Caregiver for the sick; and the past eleven years at the Nugget Casino Resort in Sparks, NV.

James enjoyed family and friend gatherings, impressing them with his elaborate vocabulary. His favorite pastime was watching western/cowboy movies.

James made his transition from the cares of this world to the sphere of infinite joy, peace, and rest on August 25, 2011. Preceding him in death, his father, Willie Carter, mother, Ida Beatrice Carter, two brothers, Fred Carter and Willie Carter Jr. He leaves to cherish his precious memories: daughter, Jamie Carter, sister Barbara Jean Jones and brother in law, Bobby Jones of Richmond, CA, sister Betty J. Parker of Oakland, CA, and brother, Alonzo and sister in law Ann Carter of Sparks NV., as well as a host of other dear family and friends.

The Lord gave, the Lord hath taken away. Blessed be the name of the lord. We loved him, but the Lord loved him best.

Order of Services

Processional - Organ Prelude

Prayer.....Minister
Scripture-Old Testament.....Minister
Scripture-New Testament.....Minister
Solo.....Deacon Ocie Hamilton
Expressions (Limit two min) Family/Friends
Solo.....Rev. Kenneth Davis
Poem.....Alicia Carter
Obituary.....Ebony Holbert

Words of Comfort, Closing Remarks
Rev. Dana Keith Mitchell Sr., Pastor



Psalms 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me lie down in green pastures:

he leadeth me besides the still waters.

*He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of
righteousness for his name's sake.*

*Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of
death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;
thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.*

*Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of
mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall
follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell
in the house of the LORD forever.*



Our gratitude

*With grateful and appreciative hearts, we acknowledge
the many acts of kindness bestowed upon us during our time of bereavement. Each
compassionate gesture served as a source of comfort to us. May God's Blessings be
upon each of you always.*

*The Family of
James Preston Carter*